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SENATE RESOLUTION No. ____ (ss)

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Clark, Craycraft, Ford, Gard, Harrison,
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Long, Lubbers, Lutz L, Meeks C, Meeks R,
Merritt, Miller, Mrvan, Nugent, Paul,
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MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A RESOLUTION urging the Indiana department of transportation to name the section of State Road 5 beginning at the intersection of State Road 114 and State Road 5 north to the Noble County/Whitley County line the "Harold H. (Potch) Wheeler Highway".

Whereas, Senator "Potch" Wheeler was elected to the Indiana Senate on September 14, 1983, and served the people of Senate District 17 and Indiana honorably for 19 years;

Whereas, Senator Wheeler was beloved by his fellow Senators and staff alike throughout his time at the State House;

Whereas, As Majority Caucus Chairman, Director of Caucus Operations, Chairman of the Committee on Appointments and Claims, and a member of the Legislative Council, Senator Wheeler was a commanding presence in the Senate and made significant contributions in the policy making process of our state;

Whereas, Senator Wheeler was also strongly committed to preserving and improving Indiana's invaluable natural resources so that future generations of Hoosiers could enjoy the natural beauty of this state;

Whereas, In addition to his duties as an elected state official, Senator Wheeler has always worked tirelessly for his



community, serving as a County Commissioner, the Etna-Troy Township Trustee, the first President of the Bowen Center, and as a member of the Masonic Lodge, the Board of Independent Colleges, the Whitley County Hospital Board, and the Columbia City Joint High School Board; and

Whereas, It is indeed fitting and proper to honor such a beloved man and to create a permanent reminder of the many contributions he has made to his state and his community: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana Senate urges the Indiana department
- 2 of transportation to name the section of State Road 5 beginning at the
- 3 intersection of State Road 114 and State Road 5 north to the Noble
- 4 County/Whitley County line the "Harold H. (Potch) Wheeler
- 5 Highway".
- 6 SECTION 2. That copies of this resolution be transmitted by the
- 7 Secretary of the Senate to Senator Harold "Potch" Wheeler and his
- 8 family and the commissioner of the Indiana department of
- 9 transportation.

